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this field seems to me to be in direct conflict with what we have adopted as an amendment in substitution of their Section 1, that is Majority Section 1.

I think also and in closing that the majority report is misleading where it suggests that the counties in quotes and the local government are being given a greater say in education. Local governments are in fact being effectively prevented from changing this constitutional engraved structure of local boards.

For these reasons I sincerely hope that the amendment will pass.

> Delegate Wheatley. THE CHAIRMAN:

DELEGATE WHEATLEY: Mr. Chairman, I yield five minutes to Delegate Sosnowski.

> Delegate Sosnowski. THE CHAIRMAN:

DELEGATE SOSNOWSKI: Mr. Chairman, Section 5 allows each local governmental unit through a referendum to determine whether the school board shall be elected or appointed.

Although this section is free, it represents a nucleus of the cells of education in our State, the